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Honorable Alvin K. Hellerstein
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
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Sanford
3-2-2020
Alvin K. Hellerstein

Re: **United States v. Montana Vasquez**
19 Cr. 034 (AKH)

Dear Judge Hellerstein,

We write to request that the Court temporarily modify Mr. Vasquez's bail conditions so that he may travel to California from March 4-14, 2020 to attend his best friend's wedding in Santa Barbara, CA, and birthday celebrations for his father and nephew in Fresno, CA. If approved, Mr. Vasquez will provide his itinerary to Pretrial Services. Because Mr. Vasquez is subject to electronic monitoring, Pretrial Services will monitor Mr. Vasquez via GPS during his trip.

Pretrial Services, by Officer Andrew Kessler-Cleary, has no objection to this request. The Government, by Assistant United States Attorney Elinor Tarlow, adopts Pretrial's position.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

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